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SUBJ: RHODESIAN SANCTIONS COMITE MEETING, SEPT 13

1. COMITE MADE FOLLOWING ROUTINE DECISIONS:

(A) 1973-1974 REPORT WILL FOLLOW PATTERN OF FIVE PREVIOUS
REPORTS, AND WILL BE AVAILABLE BEFORE END OF GA.

(B) UNCTAD HAS CABLED SECRETARIAT EXPRESSING ITS WILLINGNESS
ASSIST ON PREPARATION OF MANUAL.

(C) SCHEDULE FOR COMITE'S MEETINGS DURING GA WILL BE
"FLEXIBLE".

(D) SECRETARIAT IS EMPOWERED TO SEND ROUTINE REQUESTS FOR
FURTHER INFO ON PENDING CASES, WHEN COMITE SECRETARY BELIEVES
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SUCH IS DESIRABLE.

(E) FIRST DRAFT OF MANUAL WILL BE READY FOR COMITE'S STUDY BY FIRST WEEK OF NOV.

2. INDIAN DRAFT REPLY TO GREEK MISSION CONCERNING THEIR LATEST (UNSATISFACTORY) REPLY RELATIVE TO CASE 154 (GABON CONNECTION) WAS APPROVED, AS AMENDED BY AUSTRALIA. TEXT OF INDIAN NOTE (154/ADD.1) AND ADDITIONAL MATERIAL DISTRIBUTED (S/AC 15/WB 94) BEING POUCHED. COMITE SECRETARY CIRCULATED ONE COPY OF DOCUMENTATION SIGNED BY PRIVATE SOUTH AFRICAN VETERINARIAN AND STAMPED BY JAN SMUTS, AIRPORT CUSTOMS, PURPORTING ORIGIN OF MEAT TO BE JOHANNESBURG. COMITE DISCUSSED ASKING SOUTH AFRICAN MISSION TO DESCRIBE AUTHENTICITY AND SIGNIFICANCE OF SUCH DOCUMENTATION. DECISION ON THIS QUESTION DELAYED. US GAVE PREPARED STATEMENT ON USG INVESTIGATION OF TANGO ROMEO. BRITISH FOLLOWED, STATING PRELIMINARY CONCLUSION THAT NO BRITISH "KNOWINGLY INVOLVED." HMG CONTINUING INVESTIGATION; FRENCH ALSO WENT ON RECORD TO STATE THEIR INVESTIGATION CONTINUING.

3. ATTENTION OF COMITE NEXT TURNED TO CASE 109. DECISION MADE TO SEND PROPOSED DRAFT NOTE BY AUSTRALIA (S/AC.15/WP 93), AS AMENDED BY YUGOSLAVIA AND US. LINE 6 OF PARA 2 NOW READS: "GOVERNMENT OF (BLANK) WILL PURSUE THE MATTER FURTHER AND WILL INFORM THE." LINE 9 OF SAME PARA READS: "FACT THAT INSUFFICIENT INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED TO DATE TO ENABLE IT TO DISPOSE OF THE." NOTE WILL BE SENT TO NETHERLANDS, FRG AND GREECE. DECISION MADE NOT TO SEND NOTE TO ITALY; QUESTION OF SENDING COPY TO BELGIUM TO REMAIN "UNDER STUDY".

4. DISCUSSIONCASE 100 SUSPENDED UNTIL NEXT MEETING.

5. US REP DELIVERED PREPARED STATEMENTS ON SUDANESE NOTE CONCERNING AIR RHODESIA AND BOEINGS AND REPLIES TO SIX QUESTIONS POSED IN MEETING OF SEPT 6. YUGOSLAVIA, AUSTRALIA AND SUDAN EXPRESSED THEIR APPRECIATION FOR EFFORT MADE, DETAILS DISCUSSED, AND PROMPTNESS OF US REPLY.

6. DATES FOR NEXT TWO MEETINGS UP IN THE AIR AND IT LIKELY THAT, GIVEN OTHER PRIORITIES, ONLY ONE SESSION WILL BE HELD NEXT WEEK. AGENDA FOR NEXT MEETING WILL INCLUDE ITEMS REMAIN-UNCLASSIFIED

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ING FROM SEPT 13, SOV PROPOSAL TO DISCUSS MEANS OF "PUNISHING" SANCTIONS BUSTERS BY COMITE, AND SUDANESE REQUEST TO CONSIDER HOW TO CLEEBRATE ANNIVERSARY OF UDI. IF SECOND MEETING HELD NEXT WEEK, AIR RHODESIA, RIO, ETC., AND OTHER BUSINESS, EXCLUDING OTHER CASES, WILL BE DISCUSSED.

7. SECRETARIAT CIRCULATED COPIES OF CARNEGIE REPORT, "TO THE POINT" (JOHANNESBURG PUBLICATION) ARTICLE JULY 28, 1973 AND

"DER SPIEGEL" AFRICLE (UNDATED). LATTER TWO DOCUMENTS BEING
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